Explanation of Changes Reflected in the Chairman's Amendment in the Nature of a Substitute to H.R. 5861, Jobs and Opportunity with Benefits and Services for Success Act

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The Chairman's amendment in the nature of a substitute includes the following changes to H.R. 5861 as introduced (page and line references are to H.R. 5861 as introduced):

- 1. Page 29, Line 20: Before "; and" insert "(xiv) Describe how the State will allow for a transitional period of benefits, such as through temporary earned income disregards or a gradual reduction in the monthly benefit amount, for an individual receiving assistance who obtains employment and becomes ineligible due to an increase in income obtained through employment or through an increase in wages."
- 2. Page 29, Lines 23-25: Strike these lines and insert "(2) by striking subsection (c) and inserting the following: '(c) PUBLIC AVAILABILITY OF STATE PLANS.—The Secretary shall make available to the public a link to any plan or plan amendment submitted by a State under this subsection.'; and"
- 3. Page 31, Line 22: At the end of the paragraph insert "(2) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section 403(a)(1)(B) (42 U.S.C. 603(a)(1)(B)) is amended by striking 'percentage specified in section 413(h)(1)' and inserting 'the sum of the percentages specified in sections 406(b) and 413(h)'."
- 4. Page 48, Line 4: Strike "12(b)" and insert "13(b)"